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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 13, 2003, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit herewith a Petition to Extend Time for (5) three months, from September 13, 2003 up to and including February 13, 2003 accompanied by the appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.